



**PATENT** 

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In re Application of: C. Marcelo Aldaz Andrzej Bednarek

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MUTATED IN MULTIPLE CANCERS

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## **ELECTION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §§ 3.71 AND 3.73** AND POWER OF ATTORNEY

Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

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